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and Promoting the Ethical Conduct of Research**

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Abstract: This report provides an overview of the Washington State Institutional Review Board, formerly known as the DSHS/DOH Human Research Review Board. It summarizes the Board's authority and functions, outlines the human research review process, and describes major activities during July 2006 to December 2007. It also includes a log of all research projects reviewed during this period.

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Dear Reader

The Washington State Institutional Review Board (WSIRB) works to protect the rights and welfare of research participants and to ensure that research conducted within its jurisdiction is sound and likely to produce benefits which are greater than the risks to participants.

The Washington State Institutional Review Board reviews research for three state agencies (DSHS, DOH, and L&I) and four local health districts. In cooperation with the WSIRB, these agencies ensure compliance with federal human subjects protection regulations, state laws, and agency policies. The Human Research Review Section in the Department of Social and Health Services provides administrative support to the WSIRB, while the three state agencies collectively support the WSIRB mission and fund its operations.

This report provides information about research proposals that WSIRB reviewed during the past 18 months. In addition, the report provides an overview of activities of the DSHS Human Research Review Section. Researchers may find the descriptions of the review process and procedures helpful as they consult with the Review Section during review of their research.

Our website -- <http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/rda/hrrs/> -- provides additional information about the human research review process, and includes application forms and copies of the *Washington State Agency Policy on Protection of Human Research Subjects* (revised April 14, 2003), the *Washington State Institutional Review Board Procedures Manual* (revised November 29, 2007).

If you have questions about the WSIRB or the human research review process, please contact Review Section staff at (360) 902-8075 or wsirb@dshs.wa.gov.

We appreciate your support of our efforts to ensure the protection of human research subjects and to promote the ethical conduct of research in Washington State government agencies.

Sincerely,



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REVIEW BOARD ORGANIZATION AND MEMBERSHIP

Composition of the Review Board

The Washington State Institutional Review Board consists of two separate, parallel Review Boards: Board A and Board B. Each Review Board has 14 to 16 members with varying backgrounds to promote complete and adequate review of research activities conducted within the jurisdiction of the three Washington State Agencies: DSHS, DOH, and L&I.

The Review Board is sufficiently qualified through the experience, expertise, and the diversity of its members, including consideration of race, gender, and cultural backgrounds and sensitivity to such issues as community attitudes, to promote respect for its advice and counsel in safeguarding the rights and welfare of research participants.

Appointment of Board members

Recommendations for Review Board membership are solicited by the Executive Secretary from departmental administrators, Board members, and non-departmental professional and human service agencies and organizations. Candidates for Review Board membership are submitted for consideration and formal appointment by the Secretary of DSHS.

Length of Service

Board members serve a term of one year upon their first appointment. To assure continuity of Board operations, members may be appointed for terms of one, two, or three years following expiration of their first term.

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Duties

The Review Boards meet eight times per year at alternating six and seven week intervals. Board members are expected to attend at least five meetings per year. Depending on the workload, members spend approximately four to eight hours reviewing proposals prior to a Board meeting.

During the review of research proposals, members do not participate as representatives of the agency or organization with which they may be affiliated or employed. Rather, each member brings to the review task his/her own expertise, principles, and points of view based on his/her own unique experiences and background

Conflict of Interest

No Review Board member may participate in the Review Board's initial or continuing review of any project in which the member has a conflicting interest, except to provide information requested by the Review Board. Conflicts of interest may arise for financial or other reasons.

Confidentiality of Materials

All Review Board materials are considered confidential and shall not be disclosed to or discussed with any individual who is not a member of the Review Board on which the proposal is being considered.

For more information see: Washington State Institutional
Review Board Procedures Manual:
<http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/rda/hrrs/publ.shtm>

2006

Quality Improvement Activities

The new research application became mandatory for all submissions to the WSIRB in July 2006. Proposals submitted on the old form are not accepted.

DSHS Human Research Review Section staff assessed the feasibility of paperless transmission of review materials and a password-protected website that WSIRB members would be able to access to obtain materials for review.

WSIRB Membership

Martha Holliday, M.P.H., achieved Distinguished Member status after serving 10 years on the Review Board

The WSIRB welcomed new members: Craig Woodworth, a non-scientist ("community") member; Maureen Marcenko, Ph.D., of the University of Washington School of Social Work; and Samantha Barker, M.S.W., DSHS Aging and Disability Services.

Ron Williams, M.D., Medical Director, Juvenile Rehabilitation Administration, changed to ad hoc membership after he accepted a position in correctional health in Arizona.

Human Subjects Protection Conferences

WSIRB members Michael Garrick and Cindy Bouillon-Jensen attended the national conference sponsored by Public Responsibility in Research and Medicine (PRIM&R) in Washington, D.C.

2007

Quality Improvement Activities

IRB Authorization Agreements (IAA) were established to streamline workload and reduce redundant reviews. IAAs permit an institution to rely on another institution's IRB for review of research that is in the jurisdiction of both institutions. IAAs are in place with the University of Washington, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center, Washington State University, and Eastern Washington University.

Review Section staff began preliminary planning to consolidate both Review Boards. WSIRB meeting dates would change in frequency, to 10 meetings per year.

Consultant and Review Board member Cindy-Bouillon Jensen began to develop a training agenda and modules for veteran and new WSIRB members. In-service training will occur at each Review Board meeting beginning in 2008.

Review Section staff member Maggie Frederick conducted four presentations for MSW candidates in the School of Social Work at Eastern Washington University.

She focused on human subjects issues, the role of the WSIRB, and requirements for exemption.

The Review Section conducted a brief survey of Children's Administration Area Managers, to gauge their familiarity with the IRB and how to find information regarding the human subjects review process.

The Review Section also surveyed WSIRB members to gain an understanding of priority areas for ongoing in-service training on human subjects protection issues.

WSIRB membership

Steve Bowman, Ph.D., DOH Emergency Medical Service and Trauma Prevention, resigned from the WSIRB to accept a research faculty position at the University of Arkansas Medical Center.

Craig Woodworth resigned from the Board after one year of service, in order to pursue graduate studies in clinical psychology in Chicago.

Contacts with Local IRBs:

David Forster, J.D., C.I.P. Vice President for Regulatory Affairs at Western IRB, attended the March 2007 meeting to observe WSIRB functions, along with five foreign

health professionals who came to Olympia for six months as part of the Western IRB/World Health Organization Fellows Program.

Another group of six Fellows observed the October 2007 WSIRB meeting, along with Bradley E. Waite, D.O., staff physician and Board member at Western IRB.

Two staff from the University of Washington Human Subjects Division observed a WSIRB meeting. Jean Lanz, Ph.D., is administrator of Committee J, which reviews social and behavioral research, and Shannon Sowards is the Assistant Director of Operations.

Review Section staff observed a meeting of the social and behavioral research committee at the University of Washington. In the fall, they observed a meeting at Western Institutional Review Board, a commercial IRB that has operated in Olympia since 1968.

Human Subjects Protection Conferences

Four WSIRB members attended a two-day conference on human subjects issues in social and behavioral research. The conference was sponsored by PRIM&R.

LEGAL AUTHORITY



In Washington State, whenever the Department of Social and Health Services, the Department of Health, or the Department of Labor and Industries become engaged in research, the Washington State Institutional Review Board (WSIRB) has jurisdiction over the activity.

This means that research must undergo a formal review by the Board to assure that the rights and welfare of research subjects are protected when the research involves:

- Agency clients identified for research by the agency
- Identifiable records held by the agency or its contractors
- Agency employees as subjects
- Agency funding, including pass-through funds
- Agency facilities, such as the state mental hospitals
- Agency employees as investigator(s)

Washington State Agency Policy on the Protection of Human Research Subjects is more inclusive than the federal regulations for human subjects protection, in that all research involving human subjects is covered, regardless of the funding source. Federal regulations only apply to research funded all or in part by federal dollars.

FEDERAL REGULATIONS

- 42 CFR Part 2 – Confidentiality of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Patient Records
- 45 CFR Part 46 – Protection of Human Subjects
- 45 CFR Part 160 – HIPAA General Administrative Requirements
- 45 CFR Part 164 – HIPAA Privacy Rule

STATE

Revised Code of Washington:

- RCW 26.44 – Abuse of Children
- RCW 42.48 – Release of Records for Research
- RCW 70.02 – Medical Records, Health Care Information Access and Disclosure
- RCW 70.124 – Abuse of Patients
- RCW 74.34 – Abuse of Vulnerable Adults

Washington Administrative Code:

- WAC 246-101 – Notifiable Conditions

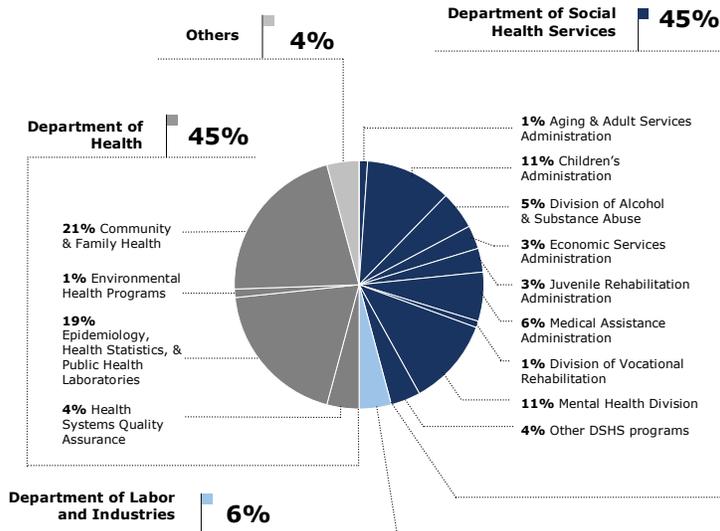
STATE AGENCIES

- DSHS Administrative Policy 12.01
- DOH Administrative Policy 03.001
- L&I Administrative Policy 9.43

STATISTICS

AGENCY PROGRAM

July 2006-December 2007 | Proposals reviewed: 80



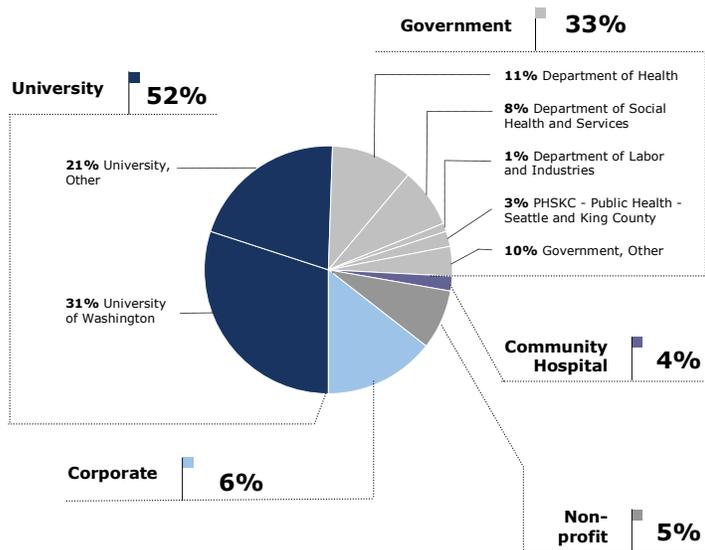
BY PROGRAM:

The Department of Social and Health Services and Department of Health accounted each for 45% and Department of Labor and Industries had 6% of all the incoming new proposals reviewed during July 2006-December 2007 to the WSIRB.

Source: WSIRB Dec 31, 2007

RESEARCHER AFFILIATION

July 2006-December 2007 | Proposals reviewed: 80



RESEARCHER AFFILIATION:

45% of the principal investigators were university-based, with the University of Washington accounting for the large majority. The other 55% of researchers were affiliated with Government, Corporate, Community Hospitals, and Nonprofit.

Source: WSIRB Dec 31, 2007

These charts provide information about the proposals submitted for review by the WSIRB, by agency program and researcher affiliation.

Each proposal is assigned to a state agency program area by Review Section staff. The program area assignment generally reflects the primary source of research subjects or the state agency program in which the research will occur. For example, a researcher who submits a request to obtain identifiable hospital discharge records would be coded as "Epidemiology, Health Statistics and Public Health Laboratories," as that DOH program area is the source of research subjects. Research proposals submitted by state agencies are generally coded as the program area from which the proposal was submitted. So, for example, research applications submitted by SHARP in the Department of Labor and Industries are coded as such. The few research

proposals that are not otherwise in the jurisdiction of the WSIRB are coded as "Unaffiliated"; these proposals are reviewed at the request of the Investigator's home institution.

Each proposal is also coded to track the professional affiliation of the Principal Investigator. The WSIRB reviews applications submitted by researchers' at large corporate research organizations such as Westat, The RAND Corporation, and RTI International. Proposals are also submitted by faculty from academic institutions across the country and by state and federal agencies, such as the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. If research will be conducted for academic purposes, generally either a Master's degree or doctorate, researcher affiliation is coded as the academic institution from which the degree will be granted.

ACTIVITY REPORT, JULY 2006-DECEMBER 2007

The following research applications were submitted for WSIRB review from July 2006 through December 2007. They are categorized by the program area in which the research will occur or the source of research subjects (see page 5 of this Report for an explanation). The "status" code indicates each application's status at the end of 2007. Projects that are cancelled may be resubmitted, and are then assigned a new study number. Cancellation usually occurs due to non-response by the researcher, a decision by the researcher to submit a completely revised proposal in terms of design or methodology, or, in a few cases, the research is ultimately not conducted. Projects coded as "exempt" were submitted for WSIRB review, but were determined to be exempt from the requirement for human subjects review.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES	Status	Study #
Aging and Disability Services Administration		
Efficacy of Antiepileptic Drug Combination Therapy in Patients with Refractory Epilepsy Nicholas Poolos M.D., Ph.D. Department of Neurology & Regional Epilepsy Center / University of Washington	Approved	B-082707-S
Children's Administration		
Educational Attainment of Foster Youth: Updated Achievement and Graduation Outcomes for Children in State Care Mason Burley M.P.A. Washington State Institute for Public Policy	Approved	A-020807-S
Foster Care to College Partnership: Evaluating Postsecondary Outcomes for Foster Youth Mason Burley M.P.A. Washington State Institute for Public Policy	Cancelled	B-022607-S
Transitions to Adulthood: Outcomes in the Continuing Foster Care Program Laura Schrager M.A. Washington State Institute for Public Policy	Approved	A-031307-S
Infant Mental Health Dependency Court Project Sheri Hill Ph.D. UW / Center on Infant Mental Health & Development	Cancelled	B-032707-S
King County Family Courts Study Eric Trupin Ph.D. UW / School of Medicine	Approved	B-050807-S
PETP Dependency Court Evaluations on the Psychosocial Outcomes for Dependency Cases Lisa Ferrari M.A. Antioch University / graduate student	Cancelled	B-053007-S
Skagit County Dependency Evaluation - Outcome Study Andrew Benjamin Ph.D. Antioch University Seattle & UW	Approved	B-080607-S
Foster Care Mental Health Consultation Pilot Eric Trupin Ph.D. UW / School of Medicine	Approved	A-091907-S
Does Hope Moderate the Relationship Between Attachment and Behavioral Outcomes in Foster Children? Lauren Shepherd M.A. Seattle Pacific University (graduate student)	Pending	A-110707-S
Division of Alcohol and Substance Abuse		
Evaluation of SeaMar Renacer Youth Treatment Program Eric Trupin Ph.D. University of Washington	Approved	B-072606-S
Drug Treatment Completion & Retention Throughout Washington Caleb Banta-Green M.P.H., M.S.W. UW / School of Public Health (doctoral student)	Approved	B-092506-S
King County Superior Court Reclaiming Futures Local Evaluation Peter Selby Ph.D. TriWest Group	Approved	B-120606-S

<p>RCT Evaluating Improvement Strategies in Addiction Treatment David Gustafson Ph.D. University of Wisconsin / College of Engineering</p>	Approved	B-051407-S
Division of Vocational Rehabilitation		
<p>WorkStrides Elizabeth Swett Ph.D. Western Washington University / Continuing Education in Rehabilitation</p>	Approved	A-072706-S
Economic Services Administration		
<p>Workforce Training Results: Vocational Rehabilitation and WorkFirst Participants Carl Wolfhagen, M.P.A. Workforce Training & Education Coordinating Board</p>	Exempt	A-062707-S
<p>TANF Depression Study Marna Miller Ph.D. Washington State Institute for Public Policy</p>	Conditionally Approved	B-092007-S
Juvenile Rehabilitation Administration		
<p>Validation of the Self-Harm & Suicidal Behavior Screen for JRA Youth: Pilot Work André Ivanoff Ph.D. Columbia University/School of Social Work</p>	Approved	B-032907-S
<p>Students beyond Risk: Incarcerated Youth's Perspectives on Education Rachel Phillips, M.A., M.A.T. UW / College of Education (graduate student)</p>	Pending	D-122007-S
Medical Assistance		
<p>Exposure to Psychotropic Medications and Adverse Outcomes Dimitri Christakis M.D., M.P.H. UW / Child Health Institute</p>	Cancelled	A-071406-S
<p>The Year Following Myocardial Infarction: Patterns of Secondary Prevention in Washington James LoGerfo M.D., M.P.H. UW / Health Promotion Research Center</p>	Completed	A-092406-S
<p>Cost Effectiveness of Patient Review and Restriction Wei Yen Ph.D. DSHS Health & Recovery Services Administration</p>	Approved	B-070307-S
<p>Do Medical Homes Improve Health Care Quality for Children with Special Health Care Needs? Frederick Connell M.D., M.P.H. Child Health Institute, UW</p>	Conditionally Approved	A-082407-S
<p>Medicaid Asthma Home Visit Project James Krieger, M.D., M.P.H. Public Health - Seattle & King County</p>	Pending	D-122807-S
Mental Health Division		
<p>Efficacy of a Bedtime Support Group for Middle School Inpatient Psychiatric Patients Gilda Warden M.A. DSHS / Child Study & Treatment Center</p>	Approved	B-092806-S
<p>Crisis Responder Pilot Evaluation Jim Mayfield M.A. Washington State Institute for Public Policy</p>	Approved	B-120106-S
<p>A Genomic Approach to Studying Repeat Instability in Schizophrenia Diane Dickel B.A. UW / School of Medicine (graduate student)</p>	Approved	B-010207-S
<p>Medication Alliance: Enhancing Patient Treatment Adherence Barbara Hawkins Ph.D. DSHS / Western State Hospital</p>	Approved	B-032607-S

Validity of Risk Opinions in Juvenile Forensic Evaluations Frances Lexcen, Ph.D. DSHS / Child Study & Treatment Center	Exempt	B-041607-S
Religiosity, Religious Social Support, Post-Traumatic Growth, God Concept, and Recovery from Severe Mental Illness Kristin Hedden M.A. Seattle Pacific University / Dept of Clinical Psychology (graduate student)	Approved	B-050907-S
Partnership for Recovery: Transforming Mental Health in Washington Joseph Morrissey Ph.D. Center for Health Services Research / UNC at Chapel Hill	Cancelled	B-060407-S
Recovery and the Stigma of Mental Illness: A Study of Clinical Staff in Washington State's Public Health System Jennifer Stuber Ph.D. University of Washington / School of Social Work	Approved	B-101707-S

Special Commitment Center

The Hare PSCAN and Its Relationship to Psychopathy in a Sample of Civilly Committed Sex Offenders Rebecca Jackson, Ph.D. Pacific Graduate School of Psychology	Exempt	B-110806-S
Changes in Modus Operandi and Victim Type in Recidivist Sex Offenders S. Wilcoxson Psy.D. DSHS / Special Commitment Center	Approved	A-123006-S
An Archival Study of the Rorschach Inkblot Test Administered on Sexually Violent Predators Bruce Duthie Ph.D. DSHS / Special Commitment Center	Pending	W-120707-S

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH	Status	Study #
Community and Family Health		
Focus Group on Delayed Entry to HIV Medical Care: Barriers and Underlying Factors Maria Courogen M.P.H. DOH / Infectious Disease & Reproductive Health	Completed	A-080306-H
Epidemiology and Biostatistical Component of the Pratt & Whitney Cohort Mortality and Cancer Incidence Study Gary Marsh Ph.D. University of Pittsburgh	Cancelled	B-081806-H
The Effect of Maternal Mobility and Traffic Exposure on Adverse Reproductive Outcomes in Washington State Sylvia Brown M.P.H. University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey	Approved	B-082406-H
Northwest Tribal Cancer Navigator Pilot Program Victoria Warren-Mears Ph.D. Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board	Approved	A-092106-H
Impact of the Washington State Diabetes Collaborative on Patient Economic Outcomes Amira El-Bastawissi MBChB, Ph.D. DOH / Community & Family Health	Approved	B-092206-H
Merkel Cell Carcinoma: What Makes a Difference? John Vetto M.D. Oregon Health & Sciences University	Approved	B-092306-H
Epidemiology and Biostatistical Component of the Pratt & Whitney Cohort Mortality & Cancer Incidence Study Gary Marsh Ph.D. University of Pittsburgh	Cancelled	B-120706-H
Evaluation of the Association Between Geographic Distribution and Clustering of Exemptions and Outbreak of Vaccine Preventable Diseases Saad Omer MBBS, M.P.H. Johns Hopkins School of Public Health	Cancelled	A-012207-H
Identifying Policies & Practices that Deter Access to Genetic Testing Services in Washington State Debra Lochner Doyle M.S., C.G.C. DOH / Genetics Services Section	Approved	A-020707-H
Surveillance of HIV-Related Events among Persons not Receiving HIV Care Maria Courogen M.P.H. DOH / Infectious Disease & Reproductive Health	Approved	A-051007-H
Early Hearing Loss Detection Diagnosis & Intervention Parent Survey Debra Lochner Doyle M.S., C.G.C. DOH / Maternal & Child Health	Approved	B-051507-H
Epidemiology and Biostatistical Component of the Pratt & Whitney Cohort Mortality & Cancer Incidence Study Gary Marsh Ph.D. University of Pittsburgh	Cancelled	B-060607-H
Predictors of Long-Term Outcome after a Diagnosis of Tuberculosis in Washington State Christopher Goss M.D., M.Sc. UW / Pulmonary/Critical Care Medicine	Approved	B-062107-H
NPAIHB Cancer Registry Linkage Victoria Warren-Mears Ph.D. Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board	Approved	A-070307-H
Latino MSM HIV Prevention Needs Assessment Jason Carr M.P.H. DOH / Infectious Disease & Reproductive Health	Approved	A-080107-H
Cancer Epidemiology in Adventists, a Low Risk Group Gary Fraser M.D. Loma Linda University	Pending	B-103107-H

Olympic Medical Center Cancer Committee Annual Report

Paul Stehr-Green, Dr.P.H. | Olympic Medical Center Cancer Committee

Exempt

A-110907-H

Environmental Health Programs**Identifying the Root Causes of Pesticide Illnesses Among Agricultural Workers**

James VanDerslice MSEE, Ph.D. | DOH / Environmental Health

Approved

B-122106-H

Epidemiology, Health Statistics, and Public Health Laboratories**Predicting Risk of Childhood Lead Poisoning in Relatively High-Risk Counties in Washington**

Victor Van Hee M.D. | UW / Occupational & Environmental Medicine

Cancelled

A-120506-H

Quality of Life, Overweight, and Smoking among Adolescents in Washington State

Yan Guo | UW / Department of Health Services

Exempt

A-121206-H

Effect of Length of Participation in WIC on Adverse Pregnancy Outcomes

Amira El-Bastawissi MBCHB, Ph.D. | DOH / Community & Family Health

Approved

B-122206-H

Role of Congenital Cytomegalovirus (CMV) Infection in Pediatric Hearing Loss

Stephanie Misono M.D. | UW / School of Medicine

Approved

B-122606-H

Is a Mandate for Physical Activity Policies Associated with Changes in School Programs & Student Behaviors?

H. Mollie Greves M.D. | UW / Child Health Institute

Approved

B-020507-H

A Field Trial of Newborn Screening for Lysosomal Storage Diseases

C. Ronald Scott M.D. | UW / Department of Pediatrics

Cancelled

B-020607-H

Control Selection Methods for Childhood Cancer Studies

Greta Bunin Ph.D. | Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Cancelled

A-022807-H

Predicting Risk of Childhood Lead Poisoning in Relatively High-Risk Counties in Washington

Victor Van Hee M.D. | UW / Occupational & Environmental Medicine

Approved

A-040907-H

Craniofacial Microsomia: The Vascular Disruption Hypothesis

Jacqueline Starr Ph.D., M.P.H., M.S. | Children's Hospital & Regional Medical Center

Approved

A-061507-H

Ambient Air Pollutant Exposure and Pre-Eclampsia, Pre-Term/Small Gestational Age Birth in the Puget Sound Air Basin

Sheela Sathyanarayana M.D., M.P.H. | UW / Department of Pediatrics

Approved

A-062207-H

Newborn Screening for Fabry Disease

C. Ronald Scott M.D. | UW / Department of Pediatrics

Approved

B-062707-H

State-Specific Disparities in Maternal and Perinatal Morbidity

Melissa Adams RN, MPH, PhD | RTI International

Approved

B-083007-H

Healthy Youth Survey 2008

Lillian Bensley Ph.D. | DOH / Non-Infectious Conditions Epidemiology

Conditionally
Approved

A-091707-H

Enhancing the Size, Sampling, and Quality of Forensic mtDNA Databases

Michael Coble, Ph.D. | Armed Forces Institute of Pathology

Exempt

B-091807-H

Early Combined Intervention after Traumatic Injury

Douglas Zatzick, M.D. | UW / Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

Pending

D-121707-H

Health Systems Quality Assurance

'HELP' Depression and Suicide Prevention Curriculum Evaluation

Marc Bolan Ph.D. | Marc Bolan Consulting (Seattle, WA)

Approved

B-090806-H

Analysis of 2007 Registered Nurse Data from DOH Health Professions Licensing Survey

Mark Doescher M.D., M.S.P.H. | UW / Center for Health Workforce Studies

Approved

B-102907-H

Investigating the Outcomes of Motorcycle Collisions in the State of Washington

Darwin N. Ang M.D., Ph.D. | Harborview Medical Center

Deferred

A-110807-H

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES

Status

Study #

Safety and Health Assessment and Research for Prevention (SHARP)

Evaluating the Implementation & Impact of a Safe Patient Handling Law

Barbara Silverstein Ph.D. | Labor & Industries / SHARP

Approved

A-080206-L

Insurance Services

Multistate Benchmark Reports by the Workers Compensation Research Institute

Carol Telles J.D. | Workers' Compensation Research Institute

Cancelled

A-110606-L

Occupational Injuries and Illness among Construction Workers in Washington State

Sue Dong Dr.P.H. | The Center to Protect Workers' Rights

Cancelled

A-111506-L

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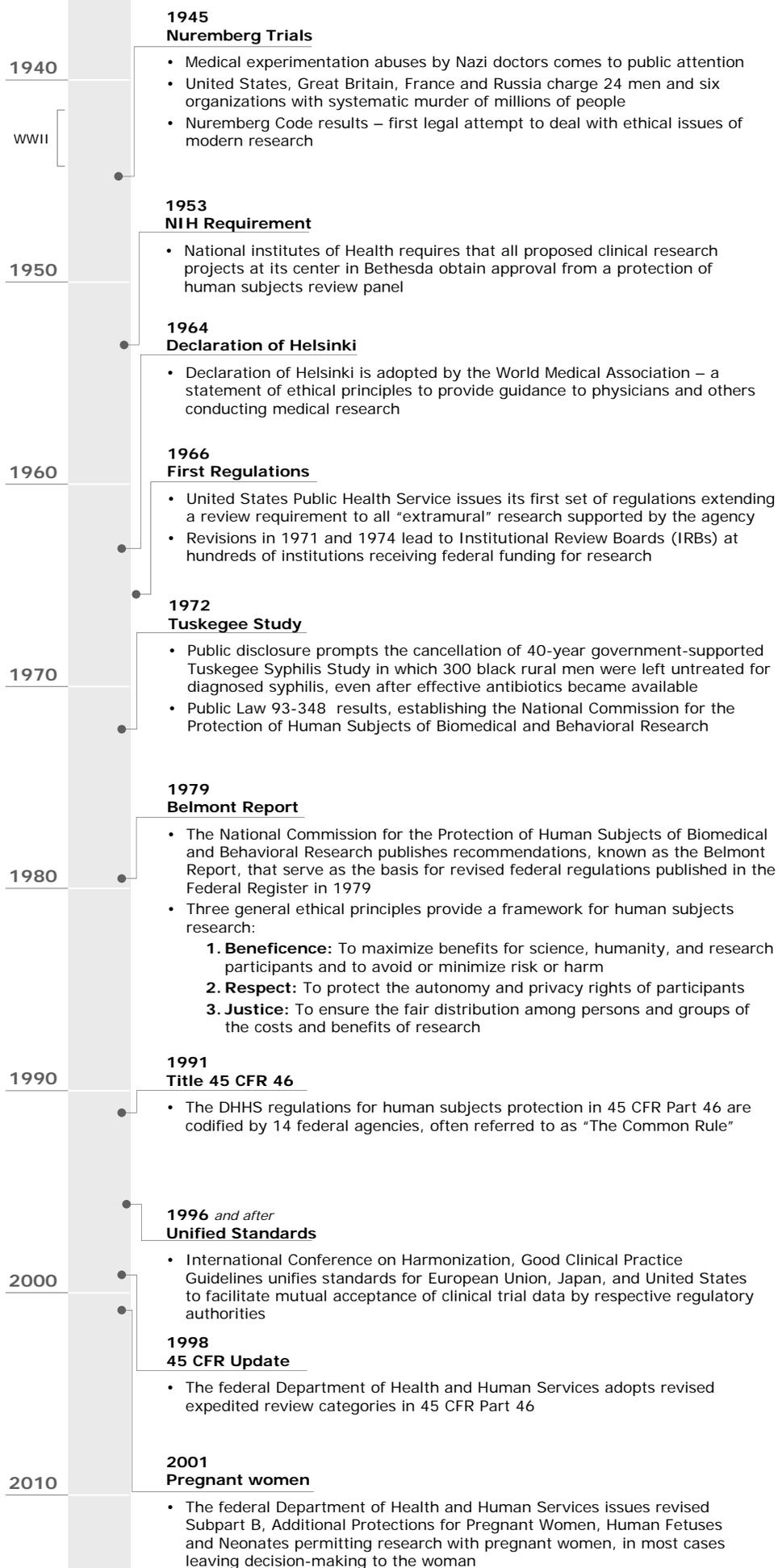
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